Axecutive Froclamation State of South Dakota Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, South Dakota was founded with hard work, perseverance, dedication to duty and concern for one's fellow man; and,

WHEREAS, James Patrick Byington has devoted his life to the betterment of his community, the caring and sharing with family and friends, and the day-to-day giving and loving which make South Dakota a great state in which to live and work; and,

WHEREAS, Jin Byington has reached his 80th birthday, an occasion of joy and celebration; and,

WHEREAS, Jin has given much to South Dakota during his lifetime and it is fitting that we honor Jim on this momentous occasion; and,

WHEREAS, On behalf of a state grateful for the benefits derived from Jim Byington's years as a productive and outstanding citizen of South Dakota:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GEORGE S. MICKELSON, Governor of the State of Scuth Dakota, do hereby proclaim February 21, 1990, as

JAMES PATRICK BYINGTON DAY

in South Dakota, and I join his many friends and relatives in wishing Jim a very happy birthday and many more years of health and happiness.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Scuth Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Fifth Day of February, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Ninety

ATTEST:

DOYCE MAZELTINE, SECRETARY OF STATE

ECRGE MACKELSON, GOVERNOR